## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A tool for applying grout into a recess between adjacent tile surfaces comprises a body for gripping by the user formed with an elongate, resilient channel member adapted

5 for retaining a line of grout and delivering the grout directly into the recess by aligning and pressing of the channel member over the recess. A finishing portion can be formed on the same body or a separate body for compressing and shaping the grout after delivery into the recess. The tool of the present invention avoids wasting of grout and increases the speed of application without sacrificing the appearance or

10 integrity of the grout joint.